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C O N F I D E N T I A L SEOUL 6808

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINT PINS KS

SUBJECT: SPY RING HEAD SENTENCED TO DEATH

REF: SEOUL 4041 (DTG 050923Z JUN 75)

1. ON SEPTEMBER 1, SEOUL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
SENTENCED KIM TAL-NAM TO DEATH FOR CONDUCTING ESPIONAGE
ACTIVITIES IN SOUTH FOR PYONGYANG. FOUR ASSOCIATES WERE
GIVEN LESSER SENTENCES RANGING FROM ONE TO TEN YEARS.

2. KIM WAS PART OF NINE MAN SPY RING ARRESTED LAST
FEBRUARY AND ANNOUNCED TO PUBLIC BY ROK/CIA ON JUNE 5. (REF).
NO MENTION WAS MADE IN LOCAL PRESS ABOUT DISPOSITION OF OTHER
INDIVIDUALS INVOLVED IN CASE, ORIGINALLY REPORTED IN PRESS
AS THREE ADDITIONAL MEN AND ONE WOMAN.
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Message Attributes

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